

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, DM

SUBJ: SPECULATION RE VISIT OF KIM IL-SONG TO TOGO

REF: LOME 841

1. IF KIM IL-SONG VISITS TOGO WE WOULD EXPECT HIM TO VISIT  
MARXIST-LENINIST DAHOMEY AS WELL, PERHAPS ON MAY DAY. TO DATE  
WE HAVE NOT HEARD ANY REPORTS LOCALLY THAT HE WILL BE IN  
THIS PART OF THE WORLD. SOMETIMES HOWEVER VISITS BY OTHER CHIEFS  
OF STATE TO DAHOMEY TAKE PLACE WITH LESS THAN 24 HOURS NOTICE  
TO DIPLOMATIC MISSIONS AND PUBLIC.

2. IN EVENT KIM IL-SONG DOES COME HERE, I INTEND, UNLESS  
DEPARTMENT INSTRUCTS OTHERWISE, TO REMAIN IN COUNTRY AND  
EXPLAIN TO FOREIGN MINISTRY WHY I AM NOT ABLE TO TAKE PART IN  
ANY CEREMONIES OR FUNCTIONS INVOLVING THE VISITOR.  
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